

BOROUGH OF KUTZTOWN

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Electric Distribution

Water Service

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Sewer Service

The Honorable Tom Wheeler, Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW

Broadband Internet

Television

Washington, DC 20554

Telephone

Re: GN Docket No. 13-5, Technology Transitions; GN Docket No. 12-353, AT&T Petition to Launch a Proceeding Concerning the TDM-to-IP Transition; WC Docket No. 05-25, Special Access for Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers.

Home Security

Refuse

Dear Chairman Wheeler:

Collection Recycling Collection

Highway Maintenance I am writing on behalf of the Borough of Kutztown, Pennsylvania. We are a local government providing critical utility services including electric, water, and sewer, as well as police services to our community.

Park

Our IT services, including both phone and broadband services, are central to answering questions and reporting Council activity to local residents. The increasing availability of online resources has improved community relations and streamlined our administrative abilities.

Services Swimming

Pool

Code Administration

Full Service

Police

Railroad Management

The affordability of IT and broadband services is important to our community, and we have chosen a competitive broadband provider to help keep costs low. Our community relies on access to affordable options that the wholesale marketplace provides in order to keep prices lower for taxpayers. FCC, we encourage you to keep local government offices like the Borough of Kutztown in mind as you engage in policy discussions around the transition to IP networks.

Sincerely,

BOKOUGH OF KUTZTOWN

Kevin J. Snyder

Borough Council President

cc: Commissioner Mignon Clyburn Commissioner Jessica Rosenworcel Commissioner Ajit Pai Commissioner Michael O'Rielly Jonathan Sallet Matthew DelNero Howard Symons GiGi Sohn